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"AN ACT IMPROVING BROADBAND ACCESS."

- 1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and 2 internal references accordingly:
- 3 "Sec. 501. (Effective from passage) The Department of Public Utility
- 4 Control shall initiate a docket to determine how best to ensure the
- 5 availability of transmission of the Connecticut Television Network, or
- 6 its successor, to in-state subscribers of video programming by satellite.
- 7 Such docket shall include, but not be limited to, an examination of tax
- 8 policies as a tool to ensure such availability. On or before January 15,
- 9 2010, the department shall report its recommendations from such
- 10 docket initiated pursuant to this section to the joint standing
- 11 committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters
- 12 relating to energy."